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01099	06/00/86	25		STATEMENT OF BONALD E. GRAMSE	A STATEMENT OF E. GRAMSE, WHO IS A DRIVER FOR WACOIN AND RESPONSE TO QUESTIONS ASKED BY REPRESENTATIVES OF MPCA. THE DOCUMENT STATES HE HAULED SEMI-SOLIDS FROM FORDMC AND THE WASTE WAS DUMPED IN THE SAME MANNER AS COMMERCIAL RUBBISH AT THE WDE LANDFILL. THE DOCUMENT STATES HE HAULED INDSTE SLUDGES TO PIGIEYE.	FORDMC, INDSTE, WACOIN
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02158	09/15/93	CHERYL SMITH	NILE FELLOWS, MPCA	PIG'S EYE FILE AND RESEARCH SUMMARIES	A COMPILATION OF LISTS AND RESEARCH SUMMARIES CONCERNING PIG'S EYE DUMP. LISTS OF REQUEST FOR INFORMATION RECIPIENTS, PIG'S EYE FILES, MPCA ACTIVITIES TO DATE, HAULERS, POSSIBLE GENERATORS, AND RESEARCH TASKS ARE INCLUDED. ALSO INCLUDED	PORTAU, COSTPA, MUCC, 3M, FORDMC
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02387	07/27/73	C.J. STOFKG, FORDMC	JOHN C. LICHTER, MPCA	FORDMC, MPCA CORRESONDENCE	A LETTER WHICH STATES WACOIN HAULS WASTE FOR FORDMC UNDER PERMIT NO. SW28, THE MATERIAL HAULED IS AS FOLLOWS: 58,000 GALLONS OF PAINT SLUDGE/YEAR; 1330-55 GALLON DRUMS OF WASTE GREASE, OILS, SOLVENTS PER YEAR. THE DOCUMENT ALSO INCLUDES A LETTER DATED 02/11/91 IN WHICH FORDMC REQUESTS DISCLOSURE INFORMATION FROM MPCA; A COPY OF MPCA'S REQUEST LETTER. THE RESPONSE	FORDMC, WACGIN, TWCWDS

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02441				HANDWRITTEN NOTES	HANDWRITTEN NOTES FROM SOLID WASTE FILES ADDRESS A PARTIAL CHRONOLOGY OF LAND USE DECISIONS. INCLUDED IS A PARTIAL LIST OF THE DUMP'S HISTORICAL EVENTS, IN BRIEF. PRINTOUTS OF FINANCIAL PROGRESS REPORTS FOR 01/93 ARE INCLUDED. A TELEPHONE LOG FORM 08/03/88 IS INCLUDED FROM REBECCA FLOOD OF METRO WASTE CONTROL COMM. REGARDING PRELIMINARY TESTING OF HAZARDOUS WASTE AND COMPLAINT INVESTIGATION. HARD COPY OF E-MAIL FROM NILE FELLOWS TO CHRY/SMITH REGARDING 3M IS INCLUDED. HANDWRITTEN NOTES GIVE DETAILS REGARDING DUMPING BY 3M AND FORDMC.	3M, FORDMC

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2	OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL
3	POLLUTION CONTROL DIVISION
4	1935 WEST COUNTY ROAD B-2
5	ROSEVILLE, MINNESOTA 55113
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9	In the matter of:
10	Waste Disposal Engineering Landfill,
11	City of Andover, Anoka County, Minnesota
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15	The Statement of DONALD E. GRAMSE, taken
16	before Vicki G. Kasten, a Notary Public in and for the
17	County of Koochiching, State of Minnesota, taken on the 9th
18	day of June, 1986, at 1935 West County Road B-2, Roseville,
19	Minnesota 55113, commencing at approximately 3:00 p.m.
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APPEARANCES 2 DENNIS M. COYNE, SPECIAL ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL, 3 Pollution Control Division, 1935 West County Road B-2, Roseville, Minnesota 55113, appeared for and on behalf of 5 the Attorney General of the State of Minnesota. 6 7 STEVEN Z. KAPLAN, ESQUIRE, of the law firm of HART, 8 BRUNER, O'BRIEN & THORNTON, 1221 Nicollet Mall, Suite 700. 9 Minneapolis, Minnesota 55403, appeared for and on behalf of 10 the Witness.

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MICHAEL KLUTHO, LAW CLERK, appearing for JOHN ANDERSON, ESQUIRE, of the law firm of BASSFORD, HECKT, LOCKHART & MULLIN, P.A., 3550 Multifoods Tower, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402, appeared for and on behalf of Onan.

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ALSO PRESENT: Nancy N. Misra, Solid and Hazardous Waste Division, Minnesota Pollution Control Agency.

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DONALD EMIL GRAMSE,

the Witness in the above-entitled

matter after having been first duly

4 sworn testifies as follows:

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EXAMINATION

BY MR. COYNE:

- Q. Would you state your full name for the record, please.
 - A. Donald Emil Gramse.
- Q. Mr. Gramse, I am Dennis Coyne and I represent the State of Minnesota Pollution Control Agency and the Attorney General's Office. We are investigating the Waste Disposal Engineering Landfill located in Anoka County. In the course of that investigation we have taken statements from many witnesses, including now today your own. In the course of the answers that you provide I would like you to give an oral answer, one that can be heard, so that the court reporter can take down your reply. In other words, a nod of the head will not be able to be recorded, so if you would always give a yes or a no or some other oral reply. Will you try to do that today?
 - A. Sure. Sure will.
- Q. The other thing is if you don't understand a question that I'm asking you, if you would say so and then

1	I'll make an effort to make my question clear. Would you
2	do that?
3	A. Sure.
4	Q. Mr. Gramse, you were served with a subpoena in
5	this matter, were you not?
6	A. Yes.
7	Q. I'm showing you a copy of the subpoena and I'm
8	asking you if you can recognize that? Is this a copy of
9	the subpoena which was served?
10	A. I don't have this here.
11	Q. The third page of what will be marked as your
12	Exhibit Number 1 is a copy completed by the sheriff's
13	office showing the person on whom the subpoena was served
14	and the date of the service.
15	A. Oh, yeah, the girlfriend girlfriend took it.
16	I see her name here. Yes, sir.
17	MR. COYNE: I'd like this subpoena to
18	be marked as Gramse Exhibit Number 1.
19	(At this time Gramse Statement Exhibit
20	l was marked for identification by the
21	Court Reporter.)
22	MR. COYNE: Mr. Falstad, you have
23	something you would like to say on the record?
24	MR. FALSTAD: Yes. I'd like to state
25	that I'm an attorney representing the Sperry Corporation

1 which is one of the 12 parties that has entered into a consent order with the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency 2 I'd like to state and Environmental Protection Agency. 3 that I'm simply attending this statement. I'm not 5 participating and will not be asking any questions. MR. KLUTHO: Same here. 6 . 7 BY MR. COYNE: Mr. Gramse, the subpoena has your home as 711 8 Q. North Oak Drive in Vadnais Heights. Is that your home? 9 10 That's correct. The sheriff's service statement says that 11 12 service was made on the 30th of May. Is that the approximate date of service? 13 I don't remember. 14 After the service of the subpoena, did you 15 Q. 16 speak with Ron Roth? Just told him that when I got the subpoena 17 that I'd like to have legal -- a guy come with me to, you 18 know -- what's going on, you know; I don't understand it --19 20 and get some legal advice. 21 And what did he tell you? He just would get me a legal advice and go and 22 23 answer the questions. Q. And did he refer you to Mr. Thornton's office 24

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and to Mr. Kaplan?

- A. Right.
 - Q. Did Mr. Roth offer to pay your legal fees then?
 - A. No.

MR. KAPLAN: Well, we'll object to any question dealing with payment of legal fees on the grounds it's irrelevant and privileged.

MR. COYNE: Was there an answer to the question that I asked the witness, the previous question?

(Whereupon the requested portion of the record was read by the Court Reporter.)

MR. KAPLAN: Well, I'll instruct the witness not to respond to the question for the grounds stated.

BY MR. COYNE:

Q. Mr. Gramse, there are occasions when a lawyer will object to a question and there are other occasions when he will not only object but will also direct the witness not to answer. The witness, of course, is free to answer or not and so in this situation, Mr. Kaplan has made an objection and directed you not to answer the question; however, you are free to answer the question or not. And so, in this situation, I'll ask a follow-up question which is: will you follow the advice of Counsel and not answer the question regarding payment of fees?

A. I'll just leave that up to my attorney.

1 So you will follow his instruction? Q. 2 Right. Ā. Now, in addition to speaking with Mr. Roth, 3 Q. did you speak to anyone else other than Mr. Thornton or Mr. 4 5 Kaplan regarding your appearance here today? 6 Α. No, sir. The subpoena, as you will note, Mr. Gramse, 7 requires you to bring with you any documents that you may 8 have and it details the kinds of documents that you should 9 bring with you if you have them. And my question is 10 whether you brought any documents with you today? 11 12 A. No, sir. 13 Q. Did you have any documents? No, sir. 14 Α. 15 Now, Mr. Gramse, you work for Waste Control Q. 16 today. Is that correct? 17 Yes. And their address is 95 Ivy Avenue West. 18 Q. that right? 19 20 À. Right. What kind of work do you do for Waste Control 21 Q. today? 22 I drive a -- what they call a Dino truck. 23 It's a -- what do you call it -- just, you pick up these 24

containers that go on a truck from various locations all

1 the way around the Twin Cities. You know, you just get 2 your paperwork in the morning and whatever company they 3 give you, that's where you go, and take it to the landfill 4 and take the box back to the company and go on to your next 5 stop. 6 Q. The truck that you drive now is called a Dino 7 truck or sometimes called a Dinosaur. Isn't that right? 8 Right. Α. 9 And is that a truck that compacts the waste? Q. 10 Α. No. That just hauls containers. 11 Q. Now, have you driven this Dino truck equipment for the last five years or so? 12 13 Α. Yes, sir. 14 Q. Before that what sort of equipment did you 15 drive?

- And the Dumpster has either a three to Q. five-yard bucket, is that right, or an eight to ten-yard bucket?
 - A. Eight to ten-yard.

I run a Dumpster.

- So from time to time you'd carry a three to five-yard bucket and other times an eight to ten-yard bucket?
- Α. Yes, sir.

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When did you first begin to haul for Waste

Control or Berkman Iron and Scrap?

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- A. 1969 was when I started. I wasn't on Dumpster all the time. Once in awhile I'd work down in the junkyard and sort scrap for them and different things like that, and when somebody would call in sick, I'd go on a Dumpster now and then.
 - Q. So in 1969 you started work with Waste Control?
 - A. Waste Control.
- Q. Now, prior to that time you had also worked with Berkman Iron and Scrap?
 - A. Berkman Iron and Metal, right.
 - Q. And what years was that?
- A. I don't remember when they switched over from Berkman Iron to Waste Control. I believe when I come back in '69 was in with Waste Control. I don't remember if they still had the scrap yard going when I did come back in '69 or not.

MR. COYNE: Let's just go off the record for a minute.

(At this time a discussion was held off the record.)

22 BY MR. COYNE:

Q. Mr. Gramse, while we've been off the record we've been summarizing your work experience and I'd like to go back then from the period from 1962 to 1967. What did

1	you do during that period?
2	A. From '62 to '67 I worked for Berkman Scrap
3	Iron and Metal, at the Ford plant hauling cardboard to
4	Waldorf Paper Company.
5	Q. And then what did you do from '62 to '67?
6	MR. KAPLAN: That was '62 to '67.
7	THE WITNESS: That was '62 to '67.
8	BY HR. COYNE:
9	Q. Sorry. '67 to '69?
10	A. I was self-employed.
11	Q. Now, what was the nature of the work that you
12	did during that period while you were self-employed?
13	A. I run a truck for A & D Supergas for a little
14	while and then I worked for Molin Concrete, and that was it.
15	Them was two places I did work off and on.
16	Q. When you started work for Berkman Iron and
17	Scrap in 1962, was that your first job?
18	A. That was my first job, yes.
19	Q. And before 1962 had you been going to school?
20	A. Right.
21	Q. And did you graduate high school?
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23	Q. What was your last year completed?
24	A. llth.
25	Q. I want to talk about the period from 1962 to

1	1967. And during that period you've mentioned the Ford
2	plant?
3	A. Um-hmm.
4	Q. That's a yes or no, if you can?
5	A. Yes.
6	Q. And you said that you hauled cardboard and
.7	scrap? Is that right?
8	A. Just cardboard.
9	Q. What kind of equipment did you use?
10	A. We had three Ford dump trucks. We loaded and
11	hauled them to Waldorf.
12	Q. Did you go to any other account in addition to
13	the Ford plant during that period?
14	A. No.
15	Q. Then beginning in 1967 you worked with Waste
16	Control?
17	A. Waste Control.
18	Q. And what kind of equipment did you use during
19	that period?
20	A. To start, I worked in the scrap yard for John
21	Berkman and I'd go on a Dumpster truck when somebody would
22	call in sick or something, to start out with, and haul a
23	few loads a week here and there.
24	Q. And from time to time did you haul waste to

the Waste Disposal Engineering Landfill in Anoka County?

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1 A. Yes, sir.

- Q. Just to go back a minute. This period was from 1969, was it, to the present when you worked with Waste Control?
 - A. Yes, sir.
- Q. Can you recall some of the accounts whose waste you did haul to the Waste Disposal Engineering Landfill in Anoka County?
- A. Oh, Ford Motor Company and Onan. And then it was various construction material from accounts.
- Q. Let's begin first with the Ford account. What was the nature of the waste that you picked up from the Ford account?
- A. It was semi-solid material from their paint booths and things like that. It was just scrapings that they scraped off of their paint booth and stuff that they loaded into this container that was dumped up in the landfill.
- Q. What kind of containers were used to contain these semi-solids?
- A. It was solid container with a slanted back

 that sat on a -- on a truck so to make sure that if it

 rained or something nothing would leak out or nothing.
- Q. Does this kind of a container have a name to it?

1	A. Just Dumpster.
2	Q. Now, what was the capacity of the Dumpsters
3	that were used?
4	A. These out at the Ford plant was five yards.
5	Q. Were you the only one who picked up Ford Motor
6	waste?
7	A. I don't know.
8	Q. Approximately how often during a week would
9	you pick up from the Ford Motor account?
10	A. It ranged. Every week was different. It went
11	on records and I have no way of knowing how much or how
12	many times.
13	Q. Were there weeks when you did not pick up at
14	all from the Ford account?
15	A. I believe so.
16	Q. And were there also weeks where you would pick up
17	more than once during the week?
18	A. Yes.
19	MR. COYNE: Let's go off the
20	record for a minute.
21	(At this time a discussion was held off the
22	record.)
23	BY MR. COYNE:
24	Q. Mr. Gramse, while we've been off the record we
25	have discussed the frequency of collection at the Ford

1	plant with regard to these semi-solids that you have
2	described. Is it a correct statement that some weeks you
3	would pick up one five-yard Dumpster at the Ford plant?
4	A. Yes.
5	Q. And is it also true that other weeks you might
6	not pick up anything at the Ford plant?
7	A. Yes.
8	Q. And is it also true that other weeks you would
9	pick up more than one five-yard Dumpster of these
10	semi-solids from the Ford plant?
11	A. Yes.
12	Q. The semi-solids that you have described were
13	contained in this five-yard Dumpster. Is that correct?
14	A. Yes.
15	Q. How were they placed in the Dumpster?
16	A. It I don't know. When I went to the Ford
17	plant it was already loaded and it would just come out in
18	one big pile like a big pile of clay that was just a little
19	soft but solid. It didn't run all over or nothing or that
20	matter.
21	Q. So the semi-solids were loose in the five-yard
22	Dumpster?
23	A. Not considered loose. It would come out in
24	one big hunk like sticky clay or similar to that.

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Did the semi-solids have a smell?

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1 Ā. No, sir. 2 Was there any color that they typically had? Q. 3 No, sir. Α. 4 Now, these five-yard Dumpster loads of the Q. 5 semi-solids were taken to the Waste Disposal Engineering 6 Landfill, were they? 7 Α. Yes, sir. 8 Q. Describe what happened when you rolled in the . g WDE site in Anoka County, just step-by-step. 10 We'd pull through the gate, drive up to the window and sign your name and how many yards you had on and 11 12 pull into the -- where they were dumping at the landfill 13 site that day and dump your load and drive out. 14 Q. Were you directed to where to go to make the 15 dump? 16 They directed us to the spot that they were A. 17 dumping at that day. 18 And who would give you those directions at the 19 landfill? 20 **A** • Whoever was in the office window. 21 Q. Did you happen to know or know the name Red? 22 I know the name Red. A. 23 Was there a fellow at the landfill who was Q. 24 referred to as Red?

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Red, yeah.

1	Q. Do you recognize the name Red St. Aoro?
2	A. No.
3	Q. Did this fellow who went by the name Red
4	sometimes give you directions where to go?
5	A. Yes.
6	Q. Did he often give you the directions where to
7	go?
8	A. No. It usually had office girl in the window
9	Q. You know Ron Roth, don't you?
10	A. Yes.
11,	Q. Did you sometimes see him at the landfill?
12	A. Yes.
13	Q. What did he do at the landfill on the
14	occasions that you were there?
15	A. I have no idea. I just have seen him up there
16	and we never talked, or very seldom have talked, if I did
17	see him up there, unless he had some question to know where
18	I was going next or what I had to do next.
19	Q. Did Ron Roth sometimes give you directions
20	where to take your load?
21	A. Yes.
22	Q. In the same manner as Red would?
23	A. Yes.
24	Q. When you took your loads and dumped them you

said that was in areas of landfill being worked that day?

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1	Is that right?
2	A. Yes.
3	Q. What kind of material was being dumped in the
4	area where you were directed to dump?
5	A. It was commercial rubbish.
6	Q. Were you sometimes told to wait at the gate
7	until other trucks were in a position or were you just
8	directed to join other trucks that were dumping in the area?
9	A. You'd just drive in and wait your turn, wait
10	to get up to the window to sign in and then just wait till
11	they had room for you to back up next to the after they
12	pushed it, the one that was left.
13	Q. Were other trucks dumping at the same time in
14	the same area as you were dumping?
15	A. Yes.
16	Q. Was any special effort made to cover these
17	semi-solids that you were bringing these semi-solids
18	that you were taking into the landfill from Ford ahead of
19.	the wastes that were being deposited there by others?
20	A. No.
21	Q. So as far as you were concerned this waste
22	that you were bringing in was just being landfilled like

24 Yes. A.

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Are you aware that there was an area at the

other commercial rubbish being dumped there?

T	landfill that was referred to as a hazardous waste pit?
2	A. Yes.
3	Q. And how did you learn about that?
4	A. Just when you drove in by the office you could
5	see them putting these barrels, stacking these barrels into
6	the pit at the right and I just asked a few questions what
7.	what it was and they said that's where it was
8	state-inspected for for liquid material, put in barrels.
9	Q. Were you ever directed to use the pit?
10	A. No.
11	Q. You mentioned that you saw Ron Roth from time
12	to time at the WDE Landfill. Is that right?
13	A. Yes.
14	Q. Where did you first meet Mr. Roth?
15	A. When I worked for Waste Control and Joe
16	Polansky sold him the business.
L7	Q. Approximately what year would that be?
18	A. Possibly '71, '72.
19	Q. Is he the one who hired you to work for Waste
20	Control when you went to work there in '69?
21	A. No.
22	Q. Who hired you then?
23	A. Joe Polansky. We just went along with the
24	business.
25	C. Referring to Mr. Roth?

A. Right.

- Q. Approximately over the years that you hauled the Ford account and transported these buckets of semi-solids, approximately how many loads did you take to the WDE Landfill from the Ford account?
 - A. In how long of a stretch of time?
- Q. Well, you can answer the question as best you can. If you want to take it a number of years or the whole period of years.
- A. I just have no way of knowing how to come with an answer with that. There's just no way of telling. I just can't remember back that far and how many loads were hauled.

MR. COYNE: Let's go off the record for a minute.

(At this time a discussion was held off the record.)

BY MR. COYNE:

Q. While we've been off the record you and I have discussed the number of loads that you picked up from the Ford account and deposited at the Waste Disposal Engineering Landfill and you've supplied to me how it is that you're unable to estimate the number of loads. My question is would you summarize those reasons for the record?

1	A. Well, I worked in the scrap yard and then go
2	out to the Ford plant just once in awhile when they called
3	to haul a load. And then I'd go back to the scrap yard and
4	sometimes they'd go once a week and sometimes they'd go
5	once every two weeks or there's just no way of telling
6	how many loads have been hauled.
7	Q. In addition to the Ford account, you mentioned
8	that you sometimes also hauled waste from the Onan Company
9	to the Waste Disposal Engineering Landfill. Is that right?
10	A. Yes.
11	Q. Did you begin hauling this account sometime
12	after 1969?
13	A. I believe so.
14	Q. And what was the nature of the waste that you
15	hauled for the Onan account?
16	A. It was the same contents as Ford, from their
17	paint booths and material like that.
18	Q. Did you also use five-yard Dumpsters?
19	A. Three-yard Dumpster.
20	Q. Would you describe for us typically what would
21	nappen when you went to pick up at the Onan account, who
22	you saw, what directions you received and then what you did
23	with the waste.
24	A. You'd pull in the Onan account and I'd back up

to the container and load it on the truck and go in the

office and whoever was working in the office would sign a slip saying one Dumpster load of sludge, and you'd go back to your truck, and took it out to Andover Landfill.

- Q. And by Andover Landfill you mean the Waste Disposal?
 - A. Waste Disposal Landfill.
- Q. And what typically would happen then when you'd roll up to the gate at the WDE Landfill?
- A. You'd sign in and they would direct you to where they were dumping that day, and dump your load and drive out.
- Q. So you'd follow the same procedure for the Onan waste as you did for the Ford waste with regard to how you dumped it at the Waste Disposal Landfill?
 - A. Yes.
- Q. Did you ever dump the sludge at the hazardous waste pit?
- A. No.

- Q. Can you estimate the number of three-yard

 Dumpsters from the Onan account that were taken to the WDE

 Landfill over the years?
 - A. No.
 - Q. And is that for the same reasons generally?
- 24 A. Same.
 - Q. As you just described with regard to the Ford

01121 1 account? 2 Yes. Α. 3 Over what time period did you sometimes haul 4 the Onan account? 5 Α. I really can't remember. Do you recall the last time that you hauled 6 Q. 7 from the Onan account? 8 Ā. NO. 9 In an effort to assist witnesses in their 10 efforts to recall the accounts that they picked up from 11 over the years, we have prepared a list of companies. And what I'm going to ask you to do is to check off beside the 12 13 name of the company those companies that you recall picking up wastes and then transporting the waste to the WDE 14 15 Landfill in Anoka County. I'm going to ask the court 16 reporter to mark this as the Gramse Statement Exhibit 17 Number 2, and then we'll give it to you and you can review 18 the list if you would, and check mark those names as I've 19 indicated. 20 (At this time Gramse Statement Exhibit 21 2 was marked for identification by the 22 Court Reporter.) THE WITNESS: I guess the Ford Motor 23

Industrial Steel Container.

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Company and Forman Ford Paints.

I have hauled that one? Onan Corporation.

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1	Manufacturing. That's all I can remember.
2	BY MR. COYNE:
3	Q. On the exhibit would you read off those that
4	you have check marked now as companies from which you have
5	collected waste for transport to the WDE site?
6	A. Okay. The Ford paints.
7	Q. And by that you mean the Forman Ford Paints?
8	A. The Forman Ford Paints.
9	Q. You also picked up from the Ford Motor Company?
10	A. Well, that Forman Ford Paints, ain't that the
11	same as Ford Motor Company? I thought the Forman Ford
12	Paint would be the paint side by the Ford Motor Company.
13	Q. Let me ask you this. Do you recall the
14	approximate location of the Ford plant where you made the
15	pickup?
16	A. They had changed it around different times,
17	never was in the same place. Sometimes it was in the
18	building, and sometimes they had it out behind the building.
19	Q. Do you know where the plant, though, itself is
20	located?
21	A. Right.
2,2	Q. And where is that?
23	A. To start with you'd come through the gate and
24	it would be in the, I believe it was Number 5 or 6 door,
25	you'd back into to pick it up. It's been there to start

I	with. And then from there they'd be adding on and adding
2	on and every time they added on they'd move it.
3	Q. Is this the Ford plant?
4	A. Ford plant.
5	Q. And the plant is located on the Ford Parkway?
6	A. Ford Parkway.
7	Q. In St. Paul?
8	A. St. Paul.
9	MR. COYNE: Let's just go off the
10	record for a minute.
11	(At this time a discussion was held off the
12	record.)
13	BY MR. COYNE:
14	Q. While we've been off the record we've talked
15	about where it is that you picked up the sludges from the
16	Ford account and you have advised me that the sludges were
17	picked up where the Ford Motor Company makes trucks and
18	cars alongside the Ford Parkway in St. Paul. Is that right?
19	A. Yes.
20	Q. Now, when you talked about the Ford account,
21	you talked about the Dumpster loads. Do you recall that?
22	. A. Yes.
23	Q. Did you ever pick up waste in pails from the
24	Ford account?
25	A. No.

1	Q. Or buckets?
2	A. No.
3	Q. Or 55-gallon drums?
4	Ã. No.
5	Q. Do you know if ever anybody else did?
6	A. No.
7	Q. In addition to the Ford account what other
8	accounts have you check marked on your Statement Exhibit
9	Number 2?
10	A. Industrial Steel Container, Onan Corporation,
11	and Rausch Manufacturing.
12	Q. Let's turn our attention to Industrial Steel
13	Container. What did you pick up from Industrial Steel
14	Container?
15	A. It was three-yard Dumpster that we hauled to
16	Pigs Eye Landfill.
17	Q. And what was in the three-yard Dumpsters that
18	you
19	A. It was the same material as Ford and Onan had.
20	Q. By that do you mean paint sludges?
21	A. Paint. It was paint sludges that they burnt
22	off of barrels and stuff that went in the container.
23	Q. Did you ever transport these paint sludges to
24	the WDE Landfill?
25	A. Industrial Steel has never went to that, no.

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1	Q. When you say that Industrial Steel never went
2	to the WDE Landfill, is it correct that they would direct
3	you where to take their paint sludges for disposal?
4	A. Yes.
5	Q. And they directed you to take it to Pigs Eye?
6	A. Pigs Eye.
7	MR. KAPLAN: Who is the they?
8	THE WITNESS: Ron Roth or whoever was
9	in the office.
10	BY MR. COYNE:
11	Q. When you got your assignment, that is the
12	location to pick up the wastes, were you at the same time
13	given direction as to where to take the waste after you
14	picked it up?
15	A. Yes.
16	Q. And would Ron Roth often be the one to give
17	you assignments?
18	A. No.
19	Q. But he sometimes did so?
20	A. Sometimes he'd be in the office when the
21	dispatcher didn't show up or something like this or had to
22	go somewhere, then Ron would take over the calls.
23	Q. Gver the years when you worked for Waste
24	Control from 1969 to present, who has filled the position
25	of dispatcher at the company?

- 1 There has been many. \mathbf{A}_{\bullet} Can you recall some of those names? 2 0. 3 Oh, golly, no. Is the fellow who does it currently someone 4 5 that you know and can identify for the record? The person in the office now has only been Α. 6 7 there a few months. Before that do you know who was in the 8 0. 9 position of dispatcher? 10 I can't remember. Nobody has lasted long. It's just been a driver gets hurt, he goes in the office to --11 the person in the office right now was hurt on the job and 12 he's dispatching and there has been a Lee Hart was hurt on 13 the job and he was dispatching for awhile. And Dave 14 Aspinol has dispatched, and a lot of them guys. 15 16 can't remember every --I have a list which is a partial list of some 17 Q. Waste Control employees and I'd like the court reporter to 18 mark this list as the Statement Exhibit Number 3, and then 19 I'll hand it to you and ask you if you recognize some of 20 the people whose name is on this list as taking on the 21 dispatcher job from time to time. 22
 - (At this time Gramse Statement Exhibit

 3 was marked for identification by the

 Court Reporter.)

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1		THE WITNESS: Mark Linscheid is in the
2	office now.	
3	BY MR. COYNE	:
4	Q.	What number does he have on there?
5	Α.	Number 13. Steve Schultz has dispatched.
6	Q.	And what
7	Α.	27. Just them two on this list here.
8	. Q.	The last one that you mentioned was Steven
9	Schultz?	
10	A.	Yes.
11	Q.	Do you know approximately when he dispatched?
12	A•	He's dispatching right now I believe.
13	Q.	And the other name you mentioned was?
14	A.	Mark Linscheid, right here.
15	Q.	Number 13?
16	. A.	Number 13.
17	Q•	Do you know approximately the years when he
18	dispatched?	
19	A.	I believe he's only been there nine months.
20	Ç:•	In addition to the three-yard Dumpsters picked
21	up at Industr	ial Steel, did they ever provide other
22	containers fo	or wastes in addition to the three-yard
23	Lumpsters?	
24	Α.	They had loads of steel that we used to bring
25	to the scrap	yard.

Ţ	Q. Any 55-gallon drums?
2	А. Ио.
3	Q. Or pails?
4	A. No.
5	Q. Were empty drums ever transported from the WDE
6	Landfill to Industrial Steel offices?
7	A. Not to my knowledge.
8	Q. Now, you mentioned the Onan account earlier
9	this afternoon.
10	A. Yes.
11	Q. And you mentioned the transport of the
12	Dumpsters with paint sludge. Do you recall that?
13	A. Yes.
14	Q. And my question is whether other containers
15	were sometimes picked up by you, that is for example,
16	55-gallon drums?
17	A. No.
18	Q. Or pails?
19	A. No.
20	Q. So it is a correct statement that the only
21	containers that you picked up with the paint sludge were
22	the Dumpster units?
23	À. Yes.
24	Q. Now, you've just described that the paint
25	sludge from Industrial Steel went to Pigs Eye and that the

. 1	paint sludges from Ford and Onan went to the Waste Disposal
2	site. Is that correct?
3	A. Yes.
4	Q. How did the dispatcher determine that the
5	waste should go in some instances to one location for
6	disposal and other instances to another location?
7	A. Well, when I took Ford up to the landfill,
8	north landfill, if we had Onan, that was on the way coming
9 .	back to take Onan up there too and then go back to Ford.
10	Otherwise, the Ford Motor would go to Pigs Eye if Onan
11	wouldn't go the same day.
12	MR. COYNE: Would you read back the
13	last answer, please.
14	(Whereupon the requested portion of the
15	record was read by the Court Reporter.)
16	BY MR. COYNE:
17	Q. Did you ever transport the paint sludges from
18	Ford to Pigs Eye?
19	A. Yes.
20	Q. And is it correct that when you were nauling
21	the Ford and Onan accounts on the same day you would take
22	both accounts to the WDE Landfill?
23	A. Yes.
24	Q. At other times if you did not pick up the Onan
25	account and only took the Ford account would you take the

1	Ford account	to Pigs Eye?
2	A.	Yes.
3	Q.	Did the Onan account ever go to Pigs Eye?
4	Α.	No.
5	Q.	Was the Ford account closer so Pigs Eye than
6	it was to WDF	E?
7	Α.	Yes. And it was closer to take Ford up to the
8	north landfil	ll if you were going to Onan at the same time.
9	Q.	You've also check marked Rausch Manufacturing
10	on the second	d page of Exhibit Number 2. Is that right?
11	Α.	Right.
12	Q.	And what material did you pick up from the
13	Rausch accour	at?
14	Α.	That was like a silica sand and little water.
15	Q.	And what kind of container was used to
16	transport thi	s material?
17	Α.	The same type of container as Ford and Onan.
18	Ω•	And the capacity?
19	Α.	Five yards.
20	Q.	Five-yard Dumpsters?
21	A. ·	Dumpster.
22	Q•	And where did this material go?
23	. A.	That went to north landfill and Pigs Eye too.
24	Q•	And by north landfill you mean the WDE?
25	Α.	WDE.

1	Q. Typically when you took
2	the WDE Landfill would you describe the
3	you'd go through for disposal once you arm
4	Landfill?
5	A. You'd pull through the gate, pull
6	window, sign in and they'd direct you to where t.
7	dumping at that day and dump your load and go back
8	company.
9	Q. Did you ever dump these loads in the hazar.
10	waste pit?
11	A. No.
12	Q. Did the silica sand have an odor to it?
13	A. No.
14	Q. Did it have a color?
15	A. White.
16	Q. What was its consistency?
17	A. It was they made molds out of it to for
18	die castings and material and it was just to hold a mold
19	to hold the die cast together to different shapes and form.
20	Q. When you unloaded the Dumpster at the landfill
21	did it pour out like sand does?
22	A. It was a dryer material, yes.
23 ⁻	Q. A dryer material than the paint sludges?
24	A. No, about the same. Once in awhile it would
25	stick. You'd have to take a shovel and shovel it out. It

would cake up.

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- Q. Can you estimate the number of times that you transported these five-yard Dumpsters from the Rausch account to the WDE Landfill?
 - A. That went five days a week pretty steady.
- Q. On a typical day how many Dumpsters would be transported?
 - A. One a day.
 - Q. Did you haul this account then every day?
- 10 A. Yes.
- 11 Q. Did others also from time to time service this 12 account?
 - A. Yes, when I was on vacation and different times they had me doing something else, yes.
 - Q. Did this account only go to the WDE Landfill?
 - A. That went to Pigs Eye and different places too.
 - Q. How is it that it sometimes went to other places other than the WDE Landfill?
 - A. It was up to the office to dispatch where they -what side of town they wanted you to go in case they had a
 construction load up north or wherever your next load would
 have been.
 - Q. Is it correct that the office then made the decisions where the waste would be taken for disposal?
- 25 A. Yes.

1 As you look through this list which is Exhibit 2 Number 2, are there other companies or locations from which 3 you transported waste to the WDE Landfill? 4 A. . No. 5 You'll notice on the first page of the exhibit 6 there is reference to Federal Cartridge Corporation. That 7 is the Twin Cities Army Ammunition Plant. Did you 8 sometimes pick up wastes at the Twin Cities Army Ammunition 9 Plant? 10 No. Α. 11 In addition to this list of companies and 12 people who are set out on Exhibit Number 2, are there other 13 accounts from which you transported waste to WDE Landfill 14 in Anoka County? Locations, companies or people that are 15 not on this list? 16 Α. No. 17 MR. KAPLAN: Could I have your question one more time, Dennis? I'm sorry. 18 19 BY MR. COYNE: 20 rlaybe I can say it a bit more clearly. 21 have testified that insofar as people and companies are 22 named on Exhibit Number 2, you check marked the ones from 23 which you picked up waste and took the waste to WDE.

A. Right.

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Q. My question is are there companies or people

or locations from which you picked up wastes, took it to WDE landfill which are not on our list, Exhibit Number 2?

- A. Not to my knowledge.
- Q. One of the companies on this list is the Foley Manufacturing Company. Did you ever pick up any wastes at Foley?
 - A. No.
- Q. Have you ever in the course of your years of employment picked up barreled wastes and transported them to a landfill for disposal?
 - A. No.
- Q. Did others working for Waste Control sometimes transport barreled wastes for disposal?
 - A. Yes.
- Q. As you look at, for example, Exhibit Number 3, can you identify some people who you know did transport liquid waste for disposal?
- A. I really don't remember anybody who did do it.

 I just seen drums up to north landfill that they were

 putting in the pit. I don't know who hauled them up there

 or where they come from.
- Q. When you observed the pit, what did you observe? What was going on in those times when you saw the pit and the activities?
 - A. They had a truck with a boom on it that they

1 had a strap around the barrels and set them on -- one on top of another and cover them with sand, I believe it was, 3 or they had -- the state inspectors were there watching the -the situation, what was being put in and how it was handled. 4 5 Q. How do you know that state inspectors were out there? 6 7 They had "State of Minnesota" on the car doors. 8 So you saw some State of Minnesota vehicles 9 from time to time? 10 Time out there, yes. 11 Did you ever see 55-gallon drums at the WDE Q. 12 site at locations other than alongside the pit or in the 13 pit? 14 Α. No. 15 Did Waste Control ever operate a transfer Q. station? 16 17 Α. Not to my knowledge. 18 You know what a transfer station is? Q. 19 To dump garbage in one place and haul it out. Α. 20 Not to my knowledge.

- Q. Have other drivers for Waste Control been to the WDE Landfill in addition to yourself?
- 23 A. Yes.

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Q. And who are among those that you're aware of as having been out at the WDE site?

- 1 Α. John Bolin, I believe. 2 Now, you're referring to the list of people, 0. for example, on Exhibit 3, right? 3 4 Α. Right. And John Bolin is Number 7 on that list, is he? 5 I don't know some of these guys here. 6 Α. Yes. 7 That's the only one really that I recognize that I have 8 seen up there. 9 Q. Now, how do you place John Bolin at the NDE site? 10 I really don't know. He hauled these 40-yard 11 12 packer boxes. Where they come from, I don't know, or --13 When you saw John Bolin at the WDE site, you Q. 14 saw him with a 40-yard --15 · A. Packer box. 16 Did you ever see him transporting drums? Q. 17 Α. NO. 18 In addition to John Bolin, do you recall Q. seeing any other Waste Control driver at the WDE Landfill? 19 20 Not right offhand. We all have been there, but like I say, I didn't get there every day and know 21 22 everybody that has been up there. What I'd like to do is get a description as 23 Q.
 - complete as we can of the paperwork that was involved with the disposal of waste. Can you describe for us from the

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1	beginning through the end what was the nature of the				
2	paperwork that was used when wastes were disposed of?				
3	A. It was a tablet form paper with lines on it				
4	where you'd sign your name and how many yards you had. And				
5	that was it.				
6	Q. Were you given this tablet information when				
7	you reported to the dispatcher?				
8	A. No. That would come from the landfill. You				
9	report to the landfill window and get this sheet of you				
10	get the tablet and you sign your name and how many yards				
11	you had and then you'd hand it back in the window.				
12	Q. So that paperwork was completed at the				
13	landfill?				
14	A. At the landfill.				
15	Q. Did you keep a copy of the paperwork that you				
16	completed at the landfill?				
17	A. No.				
18	Q. When you got your assignments from the				
19	dispatcher did you have any kind of paper then?				
20	A. You just have a slip of paper with the				
21	companies on it and some days you'd get one load, some days				
22	you get two and then when you'd get that done you'd call in.				
23	Q. The paper that you were sometimes given by the				
24	dispatcher, did that have the place where other wastes were.				

supposed to be transported?

1	A. Yes.				
2	Q. Did you hand in any paper back to the				
3	dispatcher or back to the Waste Control company?				
4	A. You'd have a Waste Control book and you'd have				
5	your receipts, daily receipts.				
б	Q. And by receipts, what do you mean?				
7	A. From the companies that signed that you have				
3	hauled the loads.				
9	Q. What information was in the Waste Control book?				
10	A. It just had the company's name, address, and				
11	then they would have the telephone number and then you'd				
12	just write in there whatever you hauled, how many yards you				
13	hauled and you'd get a signature from the company you				
14	hauled it from.				
15	Q. Would that be the receipt you referred to?				
16	A. The receipt you hand in. That was the only				
17	paperwork that was handed in.				
18	Q. Is it the same kind of paperwork that you go				
19	through today?				
20	A. Yes, sir.				
21	MR. COYNE: I'd like to take just a				
22	brief break and we'll finish up.				
23	(At this time a brief recess was taken.)				
24	BY MR. COYNE:				
25	Q. Mr. Gramse, is there any part of your				

statement that you've given this afternoon which you would like to clarify or correct? . No. You have the opportunity to read and sign the transcript. You may also waive the reading and the signing. Have you made a decision in that regard? I'll just waive it. MR. COYNE: Thank you for appearing today in response to the subpoena that was issued to you.

1 STATE OF MINNESOTA SS. 2 COUNTY OF KOOCHICHING 3 Be it known that I took the statement of DONALD EMIL 4 GRAMSE, on the 9th day of June, 1986, at Roseville, 5 Minnesota: 6 That I was then and there a Notary Public in and for 7 the County of Koochiching, State of Minnesota, and that by 8 virtue thereof, I was duly authorized to administer an 9 oath; 10 That the witness before testifying was by me first duly sworn to testify the whole truth and nothing but the 11 12 truth relative to said cause; 13 That the testimony of said witness was recorded in Stenotype by myself and transcribed into typewriting under 14 my direction, and that the statement is a true record of 15 16 the testimony given by the witness to the best of my 17 ability; 18 That the reading and signing of the deposition by 19 the witness and the Notice of Filing were waived. 20 WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL this 17th day of June, 21 1986. 22 Vicki G. Kasten 23 Court Reporter 24

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Re: Pig's Eye Dump Summary

Date: September 15, 1993

Attached are copies of the summaries I have prepared for EPA on the Pig's Eye Dump site. I have provided a list of site specific files that have been created. I have placed these specific files into two boxes. Please let me know whether you want me to do additional tasks.

REQUEST FOR INFORMATION RECIPIENTS

The following parties have been send Requests for Information. Parties will an asterisk after its name did not respond to the request.

ACE SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT

ACTION DISPOSAL

BELLAIRE SANITATION *

CAPITOL CITY DISPOSAL *

CASANOVA BROTHERS *

ED'S TRUCKING

FORD MOTOR COMPANY

HAUL-A-WAY SYSTEMS

HIGHLAND PARK SANITATION

JOHNNY'S RUBBISH HAULING *

KOWSKI DISPOSAL

KRUPENNY & SONS DISPOSAL

METROPOLITAN WASTE CONTROL COMMISSION

MICKEY'S CITY WIDE RUBBISH

MUDEK DISPOSAL

PLANT BROTHERS

RAILROADS, INCLUDING BURLINGTON NORTHERN, MILWAUKEE, SOO LINE, AND

CORPORATE SUCCESSORS

RED ARROW

REMACKEL*

ST. PAUL, CITY OF

ST. PAUL PORT AUTHORITY

THOMAS, CAREY *

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TWIN CITY REFUSE AND RECYCLING

TWIN CITY SANITATION

WALTER'S RUBBISH

WASTE CONTROL *

WHIRLPOOL

WYNNE'S RUBBISH

Separate files have been set up for parties who to date have not been contacted but should be contacted based on the information contained in the files.

PIG'S EYE FILES*

DOCUMENT REQUESTS

FISH HATCHERY - Dump located next to Pig's Eye Dump

GENERAL

HAULER LISTS - Lists of licensed haulers.

HAULER AGREEMENTS - Agreements haulers had with the City of St. Paul to haul nonresident waste to the site.

HISTORICAL RESEARCH - Research done at Minnesota Historical Society.

MAPS

MEETING MINUTES

POSSIBLE GENERATORS

RECORD COLLECTION

RETURNED REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION

ST. PAUL, CITY OF, GENERAL

ST. PAUL, CITY OF, RESEARCH

ST. PAUL, CITY OF, PERSONNEL SURVEY

ST. PAUL, CITY OF, RECORDS - Records copied from City of St. Paul Solid Wastes files.

SOLID WASTE FILE ON PIG'S EYE - MPCA GWSW file on site. Includes maps and inspection reports.

TABLES/FIGURES - Reports on amounts of waste disposed at site. Also includes break down between residential and commercial wastes.

TITLE SEARCH

WITNESSES

^{*} Does not include files on specific parties, see attached lists.

COMPANIES WITH FILES WITHOUT RFIs

CONTROL DATA CORPORATION

HB FULLER

HOLM & OLSON

INDUSTRIAL STEEL CONTAINER

MACGILLIS & GIBB

NORTH STAR STEEL

NSP

PILLSBURY

SPERRY/UNIVAC

VIKING TOOL

PIG'S EYE DUMP-REVIEW

- * Ordinance for operation of Dump adopted on July 11,1956. Evidence indicates that Dump may not have been in operation until approximately July, 1957. City of St. Paul memo states that site was flooded in June, 1957 and unable to operate. Memo in September, 1957 states that Pigs Eye site has been operating for several weeks.
- * Operated until July 1, 1972. MPCA would not issue a permit because site was in a flood plain.
- * Site consists of approximately 320 acres.
- * Site served more than 85% of St. Paul and southern suburbs. Wastes from the following communities and from residents in the following communities have been identified: St. Paul, Arden Hills, Falcon Heights, Lauderdale, Little Canada, Maplewood, New Brighton, Roseville, St. Anthony, White Bear Lake, White Bear Township, West St. Paul, South St. Paul, Minneapolis, Anoka, Newport, St. Paul Park, Mendota Heights, North St. Paul, Sunfish Lake
- * Residential, industrial, and commercial wastes were brought to site.
- * Site is currently owned by St. Paul Port Authority, Metropolitan Waste Control Commission (MWCC), and CME Real Estate.
- * In December 1977, MWCC was permitted to dispose of sewage sludge ash on 31 acres of site. Permit was renewed in 1979 and 1985. Approximately 435,000 cubic yards of ash disposed at site.
- * MWCC possibly dumped sewage sludge on the site during the early 70's.
- * There were numerous fires at the dump during its years of operation. The site burned intermittently in Summer 1988 for two months.
- * Site was divided into three areas: North contained demolition wastes; Central was fenced in and contained 3M wastes; South contained household wastes and Ford Motor Company wastes.
- * There is currently a wood chipping facility on the site which is operated by the City of St. Paul.
- * In 1961, the St. Paul City Council closed dump to nonresidents unless arrangements were made with either the Council or a private hauler. Haulers were asked to identify nonresidents stops.
- * In 1964, burning is stopped at the site.

- * In 1966, City of St. Paul is notified by the Minnesota Health Department on problems with the dump.
- * In 1967, City begins to charge fee for dump usage. MPCA notifies the City about problems with the site.
- * In 1957, 1965, 1969, and 1993, the site was under water as a result of flooding.
- * In 1971, 1,375 tons of waste dumped at the site per day. 25-30% demolition wastes and trees; 25% earth, concrete, and other noncombustibles; 10% cellulosic wastes like 3M; 2% City garbage; and 30% street waste, ashes, tin cans, and furniture.
- * In 1957, 1200 truckloads daily of industrial and commercial wastes.
- * Site was for haulers and city predominately. Individuals went to Fish Hatchery dump which was located nearby.
- * MPCA has lists of haulers who were licensed during the site years of operation.
- * MPCA has list of former dump employees and has identified persons still available.
- * MPCA has summaries which detail amounts of waste from charitable groups, parks, public works, garbage, and commercial haulers.
- * The City of St. Paul Police Department buried chemicals, explosives, and ammunition at the Site.
- * The following are the annual totals for yards paid for refuse at the Site. These amounts excluded charitable organizations, parks, public works, and garbage.

1967 832,899 1968 1,140,032 1969 1,300,407 1970 1,557,949 1971 1,662,388 1972 492,932

MPCA PRP ACTIVITIES TO DATE

- * Issued 29 Requests for Information
- * Reviewed MPCA records, including all of GWSW records
- * Conducted site visits
- * Reviewed City of St. Paul records and copied pertinent information
- * Reviewed materials available at Minnesota Historical Society
- * Conducted witness interviews
- * Contact U of M Wilson Library for photographs
- * Review aerial photographs available through MN/DOT
- * Gather and review manufacturers lists for PRPs

RECORD COLLECTION

RESEARCH TO COMPLETE

MPCA RECORDS

Review MPCA AS files which have been sent to the State Records Center. According to reference at Minnesota Historical Society, MPCA kept files, photographs, and other documents from 1963 to 1976 on the Pigs Eye area. Contact Pat Kiesling 612/296-7797.

Review MPCA SW records which have been sent to State Records Center. Contact Chris Johnson 612/296-7332.

Review MPCA GWSW Industry files for specific parties, including but not limited to 3M, Ford Motor Company, Whirlpool, North Star Steel, and American Can. Note there are several files on the 3M Chemolite plant. Possibly tons of waste from this facility were disposed at Pigs Eye. Contact Chris Malec 612/297-5177.

Talk to Dave Douglas, (612/296-7818) MPCA project manager on 3M Chemolite site for information

Review MPCA GWSW Miscellaneous files, including file on Pigs Eye Sewage Treatment Plant. Contact Chris Malec 612/297-5177.

Check into possible information in MPCA Tanks and Spills Division. Contact Rebecca Lofgren 612/297-8575.

There is a lot of PRP information contained in MPCA GWSW St. Paul, City of files (C) and (D). Contact Chris Malec 612/297-5177. Orange tabs highlight certain documents.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Review MPCA files on proposed coal terminal in Pigs Eye area. In State Archives, five boxes.

Look for other MPCA records.

Look in both card catalog and photographs catalog under the following headings: St. Paul, Battle Creek, Mississippi River, and names of possible generators.

Look at Sanborn maps, newspapers, old phone books and directories.

METROPOLITAN COUNCIL

Review photographs of the area.

Get copy of Metropolitan InterCounty Council Developing the Marketing Potential of Hazardous

Waste Reclamation in the Twin Cities Metropolitan Area, June, 1975.

STATE RECORDS CENTER

Review the following files: 3M Chemolite files, 1972 and 1972-1982, Lot 88-262, Box 1; Industrial project files, 1950-1981, including Chemolite information, Lot 84-90, Box 11. Also review files referenced in research discussed above.

ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS

Review aerial photographs. Review information on area dredging. Research other information available. Contact Librarian.

WILSON LIBRARY

Review historical photographs of the area. Contact Brett Wilson 612/624-4549.

MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

Review photographs of area. Research other information available. Note: DNR has property next to Site.

CITY OF ST. PAUL

May wish to review several boxes of documents pertaining to the site. MPCA staff have already reviewed these documents and copied pertinent information. To date no operating records detailing who use site have been located. May wish to review maps which have been placed on microfilmed. Contact Rick Person at City of St. Paul Solid Waste Office 612/292-6122. Contact Police Department, information states that Police buried ammunition, explosives, and chemicals at site. Also, contact Fire Department for information since there were fires at the site on a regular basis.

RAMSEY COUNTY

Although the site was operated by the City of St. Paul, it was located in Ramsey County and it may have information.

DISTRICT COURT

Staff is aware of a least one lawsuit involving the site. Records should be check to determine if additional information is available.

MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY RESEARCH

Russell Sussag besides being a U of M professor who studied the pigs eye area and 3M employee, was also the chair of the Sewer Board.

There was a proposed coal terminal at Pigs Eye. MPCA WQ put in state archives five boxes of documents containing photos, environmental impact statements, statements, and findings. Files from 1963-1976. Parts of files were retained by MPCA in the person of Dale E. McMichael.

WW treatment plant at pigs eye was constructed in 1937. Secondary treatment was constructed in 1966.

Port Authority was started in 1929.

Picture of area in 1969 flooded-QC2.2d p47

Picture of area in 1969 not flooded-MR2.9 SPln p22

Aerial picture 1936 MR2.9 SPlj p40-41

Picture of area before dump 1956 MR2.9 SPIm p27

File of photos on WW treatment plant construction 1937 HD6.5 r 34-47

Pictures of WW treatment plant buildings MR2.9 SP 8 p176,p297

Booklet on waste water treatment and how it is affected by federal laws. Discusses pigs eye plant and ash disposal. TD525.M6 M538 1969

Metro Council report on waste disposal. Hired consultant. Where are findings? TD 791 T9 M4 1968

Draft EIS for Coal terminal. HF633.M62 S347 Done by St. Paul Port Authority. Discusses water in Pigs Eye Lake and Battle Creek.

Background report on area back to 1700's. F613.S68 B333 1980

HAULERS

MPCA has copies of licensed hauler lists from 1959 to 1973.

MPCA GWSW General Files, St. Paul, City of (B): includes a survey of haulers from 1970. Haulers are asked to identify number of residentail and business customers. One could use this list to identify haulers with business customers.

Limited number of haulers have been contacted previously with a Request for Information.

NOTES FROM GWSW ST. PAUL & RAMSEY COUNTY FILE RESEARCH

Area across from Capitol Supply on Lafayette Road (up hill from MPCA) has been used by the City of St. Paul to disposed of street sweepings. An analysis from the street sweepings indicate metals. The sweepings were disposed at site when it was opened.

Space Center had 17 trucks and two customers; 16 for 3M waste and one for American Can.

Fish Hatchery Dump closed on March 13, 1971.

Pigs Eye dump in 1971 received 5000 cubic yards daily. Amount was expected to go up because of the ban on backyard burning.

70 acres were filled in on Pigs Eye between 1960-1964.

ITEMS TO CHECK INTO FURTHER

Metropolitan Council required that landfills in seven county metro area be opened to all within that seven county area. Did St. Paul allow nonresidents to dump again in Pigs Eye?

Waste Water Treatment Plant dumped solid waste, bar screenings, and grit on the site in 1973.

Industrial Steel Co. reconditioned barrels it received from 3M. Barrels containing solvents were accumulated and sent back to the 3M Chemolite plant for incineration. Waste Control picked up the ash. Where did ash go then?

There is evidence of industrial waste going down the sewers at the time the ash and/or sludge was placed on the site.

POSSIBLE GENERATORS

FORD MOTOR

In 1973 haul the following to a landfill: 58,000 gallons a year of paint sludge and 1,330 55 gallon drums a year of grease oils, and solvents. Hauler was WCI. Where did waste go from 1956 to 1972?

HB FULLER

Each month it generates ten drums of dirty solvent. Letter in 1971 asks where to dispose of it. MPCA recommended Pollution Control if recover and recycle was not possible. Where was it disposed of before that.

CONTROL DATA

In 1972 hauler was Gallagher's Service. Hauled 55 gallons drums of toxic waste. Where did material go before WDE?

SPERRY

In 1974 Sperry requested information from MPCA on how to dispose of hazardous wastes. Its wastes includes acids, oils, fluxes, alcohol, and solvents. Where did wastes go between 1956-1972?

3M

Lots of waste from Hastings, St. Paul, and Chemolite plants.

INDUSTRIAL STEEL CONTAINER

Took barrels in from 3M. Where did waste in barrels go before 1972? Also shot peen dust from company contains heavy metals. Waste to site?

PILLSBURY

Company had a terminal close to site, on Red Rock Road. Evidently there were questionable loading and storing practices in the past of fertilizers and salts. Also stockpiled coal at site.

METROPOLITAN WASTE CONTROL COMMISSION

Evidence of sewage and or sludge on site. Also disposed of ash on site.

NORTH STAR STEEL

Deposited metal slag material containing iron, magnesium, and calcium oxides into water along Red Rock Road. Also disposing of shredded car bodies. What else were they dumping in area?

CITY OF ST. PAUL

Brought street sweepings to the site. Analysis from 1985 indicates heavy metals.

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MINN. POLLUTION CONTROL AGENCY

Automotive Assembly Division Ford Motor Company Twin Cities Assembly Plant 966 South Mississippi River Blvd. St. Paul, Minnesota 55116

July 27, 1973

Mr. John C. Lichter, Engineer Section of Enforcement Division of Solid Waste

Subject: Disposal of Paint Sludge and Solvents

Dear Sir:

In answer to your memo of July 12, 1973, we advise as follows:

We are not aware of any instance whereby we are disposing of industrial process wastes improperly. All such materials are collected and hauled away by our contractor, Waste Control, Incorporated, who operates under <u>Permit #SW28</u>, issued by Division of Solid Waste, Minnesota Pollution Control Agency.

The issuance of such a permit is conditioned upon his being an approved contractor, hauling to an approved land fill dump site.

The quantity of materials being disposed of in this manner are as follows:

- Approximately <u>58.000 gallons/year</u> of paint sludge hauled in a <u>500 gallon tank truck</u>.
- 1330 55 gallon drums/year of waste, grease, oils, solvents, etc. collected from various plant operations.

We trust this will provide you with the necessary information.

Very truly yours

C. J. Stofko Plant Manager



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February 11, 1991

Art Dunn Chief of Solid Waste Section Ground Water and Solid Waste Division Minnesota Pollution Control Agency 520 Lafayette Road St. Paul, Minnesota 55155

Subject: Pig's Eye Dump/ Fish Hatcheries Dump Ramsey County, Minnesota

Dear Mr. Dunn,

Pursuant to Minnesota Statute §13.03 et seq., Ford Motor Company hereby requests disclosure of the documents described below:

- 1. Copies of any documents indicating a connection between Ford Motor Company and the Pig's Eye Dump/ Fish Hatcheries Dump, Ramsey County, Minnesota.
- 2. Copies of any documents providing waste-in or other allocation information regarding the Site.
- 3. Copies of any studies or technical documents indicating the nature and extent of contamination at the Site.
- 4. Copies of any documents providing information about any costs incurred to date as a result of any study, cleanup, or other removal or remedial action taken at the Site.

The term "documents" as used herein includes, without limitation by reason of enumeration, all documents, correspondence, photographs, memoranda, reports, notes and writings of any kind.

Ford Motor Company will pay copying charges associated with this request as required by law. Please feel free to contact me

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- 16. Ford objects to this request as overly broad and unduly burdensome and on the grounds that it seeks information protected from disclosure by the attorney-client privilege and the attorney work product doctrine. These responses are the corporate responses of the Ford Motor Company based upon information obtained from its employees and records under the direction of its attorneys.
- 17. Mr. Ron Roth of Waste Control Incorporated may have information relevant to this request.



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- 11. Ford objects to this request as overly broad, unduly burdensome, irrelevant, and not authorized by MERLA or CERCLA, in that it requests information not relevant to the subject matter of the Requirement.
- 12. Ford objects to this request as overly broad, unduly burdensome, irrelevant, and not authorized by MERLA or CERCLA, in that it requests information not relevant to the subject matter of the Requirement, and as calling for a legal conclusion.
- 13. Ford objects to this request as overly broad, unduly burdensome, irrelevant, and not authorized by MERLA or CERCLA, in that it requests information not relevant to the subject matter of the Requirement. Ford also objects to the request as vague and ambiguous in that Question 9 does not request information dealing with subcontractors.
- 14. Ford objects to this request as overly broad, unduly burdensome, and not authorized by MERLA or CERCLA, to the extent that it requests information not relevant to the subject matter of the Requirement. Without waiving or in any way limiting any objection Ford has or may have, Ford responds that during the relevant period Waste Control Incorporated (formerly called Twin City Waste Control) hauled wastes from the Twin Cities Assembly Plant.
 - 15. See response to Part II, Nos. 7 and 14.
- 16. Ford objects to this request as overly broad and unduly burdensome and on the grounds that it seeks information protected from disclosure by the attorney-client privilege and the attorney work product doctrine. These responses are the corporate responses of the Ford Motor Company based upon information obtained from its employees and records under the direction of its attorneys.
- 17. Mr. Ron Roth of Waste Control Incorporated may have information relevant to this request.



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Office of the General Counsel

Ford Motor Company Parklane Towers West, Suite 401 One Parklane Boulevard Dearborn, Michigan 48126

February 7, 1991

Ms. Cathy O'Connell Superfund Unit Site Response Section Ground Water and Solid Waste Division Minnesota Pollution Control Agency 520 Lafayette Road St. Paul, Minnesota 55155-3898

Subject: Requirement to Provide Information Pig's Eye Dump/Fish Hatcheries Dump

Dear Ms. O'Connell,

Pursuant to my conversation today with Kristen in your office, this is to confirm Ford Motor Company's extension until February 28, 1991 to respond to the Requirement to Provide Information in the above referenced matter.

If the above does not accurately reflect our understanding, please contact me at (313) 390-1878.

Sincerefy'

Robin D. Couch Staff Attorney

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Minnesota Pollution Control Agency

520 Lafayette Road, Saint Paul, Minnesota 55155 Telephone (612) 296-6300 Centate

RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

January 8, 1991

Mr. John Kallaus Ford Motor Company 966 S. Mississippi River Blvd. St. Paul, Minnesota 55166

Dear Mr. Kallaus

RE: Requirement To Provide Information Pig's Eye Dump/Fist Hatcheries Dump

Ground Water & Solid Wasta Division
Site Response Section

Pig S Eye
File Name

Initial

The Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MPCA) is responsible for implementing the Minnesota Environmental Response and Liability Act (MERLA). MERLA is the cornerstone of the state's efforts to investigate and remedy hazardous waste sites where contamination threatens the public health or the environment.

Pursuant to MERIA, the MPCA staff has identified a release or threatened release of hazardous substances or pollutants or contaminants at the Pig's Eye Dump/Fish Hatcheries Dump, located in Ramsey County, Minnesota. The MPCA staff is in the process of identifying persons who may be responsible for this release or threatened release under MERIA because they arranged for disposal, or transport for disposal, of hazardous waste at the above-referenced site.

The MPCA staff has reason to believe that Ford Motor Company is a responsible person under MERLA, and may have information which is relevant to the release or threatened release for the Pig's Eye Dump/Fish Hatcheries Dump. To facilitate the agency's investigation, the MPCA staff is sending you the enclosed Requirement To Provide Information. As the recipient of this Requirement To Provide Information, you have the legal duty under state law to provide information requested by the MPCA which is relevant to the release or threatened release of hazardous substances or pollutants or contaminants. Information obtained in response to the Requirement To Provide Information will be used by MPCA staff in carrying out their responsibilities under MERLA, including the identification of other responsible persons for the release or threatened release. This is a first Questionnaire; in the future it may be necessary to supplement the information available to MPCA with additional Questionnaires.

Since obtaining this information is an important initial step in the process, your response to the enclosed Questionnaire needs to be submitted within thirty (30) days from the date of he Requirement To Provide Information. The information in your response is vital and will allow us to protect the public health and the environment. Therefore, failure to provide timely, complete and accurate answers to the Questionnaire may result in legal actions by the state of Minnesota to compel disclosure.

STATE OF MINNESOTA POLLUTION CONTROL AGENCY

In the Matter of Pig's Eye Dump/Fish Hatcheries Dump

REQUIREMENT TO PROVIDE INFORMATION PURSUANT TO THE MINNESOTA ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSE AND LIABILITY ACT

The Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MPCA) staff has reason to believe that Ford Motor Company is a responsible person under the Minnesota Environmental Response and Liability Act (MERLA) and may have information which is relevant to the release or threatened release of hazardous substances or pollutants or contaminants from the above—referenced site. You are required by Minnesota Statutes, Section 115B.17, subdivision 3 (1990) to provide information to the MPCA and its employees that is relevant to the release or threatened release:

Any person who the agency has reason to believe is responsible for a release or threatened release as provided in section 115B.03, or who is the owner of real property where the release or threatened release is located or where response action are proposed to be taken, when requested by the agency, or any member, employee or agent thereof who is authorized by the agency, shall furnish to the agency any information which that person may have or may reasonably obtain which is relevant to the release or threatened release.

The federal Comprehensive Environmental Response and Liability Act, Section 104

(e) (1) and (2) also authorizes the MPCA, pursuant to an existing U.S. EPA
MPCA Cooperative Enforcement Agreement, to require responsible persons to

furnish such information.

The MPCA is also authorized by Minnesota Statutes, Section 115B.17, subdivision 4(a) (1990) to examine and copy any books, papers, records, memoranda or data of any person who has a duty to provide information under subd. 3.

Questionnaire for Pig's Eye Dump/Fish Hatcheries Dump and Request for Production of Documents

Part I: ABOUT THE BUSINESS

- 1. Identify the full legal name of the business.
- 2. Is the business incorporated?

NOTE: If the answer is YES, answer Questions 3-9 of Part I; If the answer is NO, proceed to Question 9, and answer Questions 9-14 of Part

Questions To Be Answered By Corporations:

- 3. Identify the state or states in which the business is incorporated.
- 4. When was the business incorporated in each of the above state(s)?
- 5. Identify the name and address of the corporation's agent for service process who is registered with the Minnesota Secretary of State.
- 6. Is the business a public or closely held corporation?
- 7. Identify the names, current addresses and telephone numbers of allocations and officers of the corporation.
- 8. If the corporation is closely held, identify the names and current addlesses and telephone numbers of all shareholders of the corporation.

Questions To Be Answered By Non-Incorporated Business Entities:

- 9. Is the business either a legal partnership or sole proprietorship? Planse specify.
- 10. If the answer to Question 9 is LEGAL PARTNERSHIP, is the partnership a general or limited partnership?
- 11. If the business is not a legal partnership or sole proprietorship, please explain the legal organization of the business (for example, joint/venture, syndication).
- 12. How many years has the business been in operation?
- 13. Identify the names and current addresses and telephone numbers of all current owner(s) of the business.
- 14. Identify (a) any changes in owners or partners, specifying past owners or partners and their current addresses and telephone numbers; (b) past and current name(s) of the business; and (c) any changes in the location of the business.

9. Did your company generate any of the following wastes:

acetone barium compounds benzene n-butyl alcohol ethyl benzene ethylene glycol methyl isobutyl ketone phosphoric acid sulfuric acid 1,2 - Diphenylhydrazine carbide abrasives mercury selenium lacquer butylbenaylphalate plastics adhesives transformers batteries

1,2,4-trimethyl benzene xylene zinc compounds glycol ethers chlorobenzene methyl ethyl ketone phenol pentachlorophenol anthracene isophorone calcium hydroxide ferric Chloride silver di-n-Butylphthalate paint sludges resins varnishes ' transformer fluids

Cyanide wastes from cyanide plating solutions, simple cyanide or cyanide baths

Paints containing:
lead
chromium
cadmium
barium
nickel

Solvents, such as:

methylene chloride trichloroethylene trichloroethane petroleum naphtha mineral spirits vapor degreasers immersion cleaner freon

Used oil, such as:
 lubricating oil
 gear oil
 cutting oil
 tempering or quenching oils

grease transformer fluids transmission fluids

Used oil containing heavy metals or PCBs

and of the insured, amount of coverage under each policy, commencement and expiration data, existence of a "pollution exclusion" clause, and coverage of sudden or nonsudden types of accidents. (In lieu of providing this information, you may submit complete copies of all relevant insurance policies.)

Attachment 1 Instructions for Questionnaire

- 1. Enclose with your response to the Questionnaire a notarized affidavit from you or an authorized official representing your business attesting to the fact (a) that a diligent search for records relevant to this Questionnaire has been completed and (b) that a diligent interview process has been conducted with present and former employees who may have knowledge of waste generation or other waste management practices at Pig's Eye Dump/Fish Hatcheries Dump from 1956 to 1972. Any information that you provide in response to the Questionnaire that is based on your personal knowledge, or the personal knowledge of your employees, agents, or other representatives must be submitted in the form of a notarized affidavit.
- 2. Review the list of definitions in Attachment 2.
- 3. Make a separate written response to each question. Do <u>not</u> leave any blank questions.
- 4. Number each of your answers according to the corresponding numbered question. For each document produced in response to the Requirement To Provide Information, identify the number of the question to which it responds on the document or in some other reasonable manner.
- 5. In answering each question, identify all sources of information consulted in preparing the response.
- 6. You are required to respond to each question on the basis of any and all information and documents in your possession, custody, or control or the possession, custody or control of your current or former employees, agents, or contractors, or other person who conducted business on your behalf. Furnish information that is available to you regardless of whether it is based on personal knowledge, and regardless of the source.
- 7. Information necessary to adequately respond to a question may not be known or available on the date your response is submitted. If this is the case, you have a continuing duty to provide the information when it becomes known or available.
- 8. Respond in writing to each question even if information on which your answer is based has not been recorded in any particular document.
- 9. If any requested documents have been transferred voluntarily or involuntarily to others or have been otherwise disposed of, identify (a) each document; (b) the person to whom it was transferred; and (c) the date of the transfer or disposal.
- 10. You have a duty to provide the requested information even if the information may be considered confidential or a trade secret. If you provide any information that related to sales figures, processes or methods of production unique to your business, or information that would tend to affect adversely the competitive position of your business if generally known, you may certify this claim at the time you submit your response and the

Attachment 2 Definitions for Questionnaire

For the purpose of your answers to the Questionnaire, the following definitions shall apply:

- 1. FORD MOTOR COMPANY. "Ford Motor Company" includes any agent, subcontractor, or any other person who conducted or did business on behalf of "Ford Motor Company".
- 2. PIG'S EYE DUMP/FIST HATCHERIES DUMP. "Pig's Eye Dump/Fist Hatcheries Dump" means the property located 1/2 mile southeast of the intersection of Warner Road and Childs Road (an old report lists the address as 1150 Pig's Eye Lake Road), [Ramsey County, Section 10, T28N, R22W] and the property located at the intersection of Warner Road and Childs Road (an old report simply gives the address as Warner Road) [Ramsey County, Section 3, T28N, R22W], St. Paul Minnesota.
- 3. YOU; BUSINESS. The terms "you" and "business," means the addressee of the Requirement To Provide Information.
- 4. DOCUMENT. "Document" means information preserved in any manner which is in the possession of or may be reasonably obtained by the addressee, including information in the possession of the addressee's directors, officer, shareholders, partners, managers, employees, subcontractors, trustees, successors, assigns, and agents, regardless of the location of the document or its classification as privileged or confidential. The term "document" includes but is not limited to the following: correspondence, contracts, agreements, memoranda, telegrams, reports, assignment, personnel records, record books, manifests, logs, scrapbooks, diaries, minutes, plans, drawings, photographs, tapes, computer discs, invoices, checks, surveys and analyses.

- (b) Any watercraft of any description, or other artificial contrivence used or capable of being used as a means of transportation on water; or
- (c) Any site or area where a hazardous substance, or a pollutant contaminant, has been deposited, stored, disposed of, or placed, or otherwise come to be located.

"Facility" does not include any consumer product in consumer use.

- 10. HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE. "Hazardous substances," as defined in Minnes ta Statutes, Section 115B.02, subdivision 8 (1990), means:
- (a) Any commercial chemical designated pursuant to the federal Pollution Control Act, under United States Code, title 33, section 1321(b)(2)(A);
- (b) Any hazardous air pollutant listed pursuant to the Clean Air Act, under United State Code, title 42, section 7412, and
 - (c) Any hazardous waste.

"Hazardous substance" does not include natural gas, natural gas liquids, liquefied natural gas, synthetic gas usable for fuel, or mixtures of such synthetic gas a natural gas, not does it include petroleum, including crude oil or any fraction thereof which is not otherwise a hazardous waste.

- 11. HAZARDOUS WASTE. "Hazardous waste," as defined in Minnesota Statutes, Section 115B.02, subdivision 9 (1990) means:
- (a) Any hazardous waste as defined in section 116.06, subdivision 13, and any substance identified as a hazardous waste pursuant to rules adopted by the agency under section 116.07; and

resources, such as silt, dissolved or suspended solids in industrial waste, water effluents or discharges which are point sources subject to permits under section 402 of the Federal Waste Pollution Control Act, as amended, dissolved materials in irrigation return flows; or source, special nuclear, or by-product material as defined by The Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended.

14. RELEASE. "Release," as defined in Minnesota Statutes, Section 115B.02, subdivision 15 (1990) means any spilling, leaking, pumping, pouring, emitting, emptying, discharging, injecting, escaping, leaching, dumping, or disposing into the environment which occurred at a point in time or which continues to occur.

"Release" does not include:

- (a) Emissions from the engine exhaust of a motor vehicle, rolling stock, aircraft, watercraft, or pipeline pumping station engine;
- (b) Release of source, by-product, or special nuclear material from a nuclear incident, as those terms are defined in The Atomic Energy Act of 1954, under United States Code, title 42, section 2014, if the release is subject to requirements with respect to financial protection established by the federal nuclear regulatory commission under United States Code, title 42, section 2210.
- (c) Release of source, by-product or special nuclear material from any processing site designated pursuant to the Uranium Mill Tailing Radiation

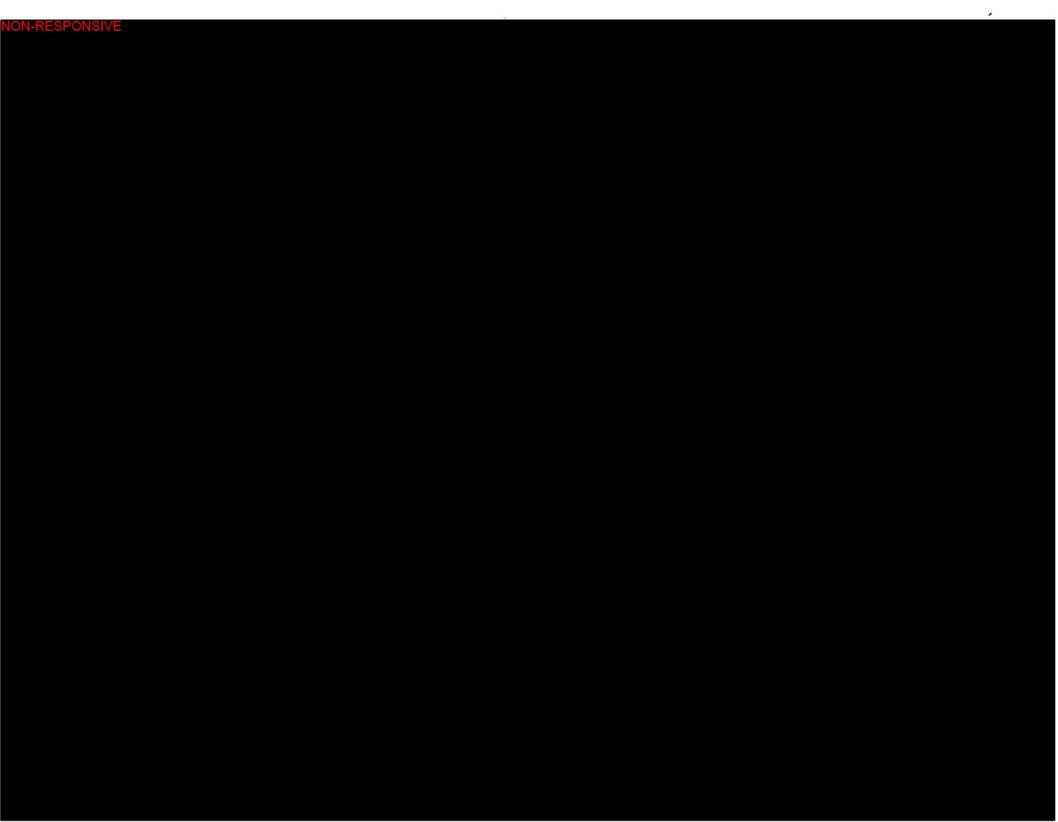
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- (d) Any release resulting from the application of fertilizer or agricultural or silvicultural chemicals, or disposal of empties pesticide containers or residues from a pesticide as defined in section 18A.21, subdivision 25.

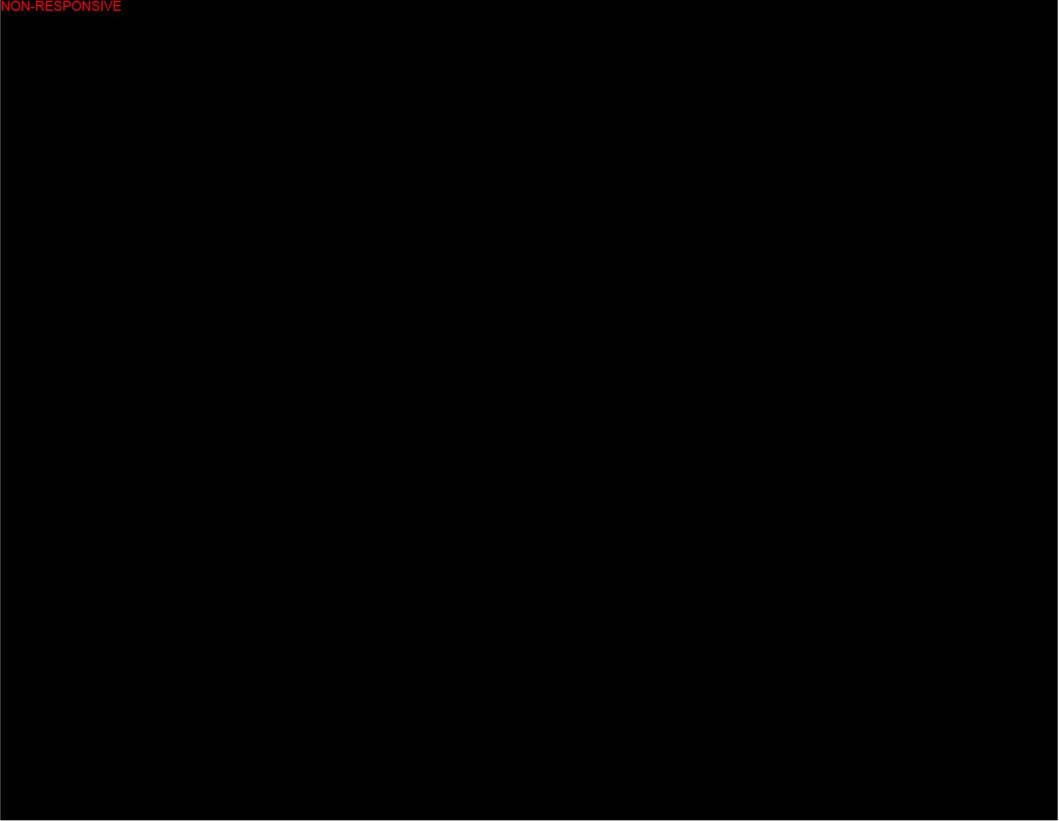
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PIG'S EYE DUMP

1956	Begin operating
1961	Close dump to nonresidents unless prior arrangements are made with hauler or city council. Haulers are asked to identify nonresident stops.
1964	Burning is stopped.
1966	City of St. Paul is notified by the MN Health Dept. about problems with dump.
1967	City begins to charge fee for dump usage. MPCA notifies City of St. Paul about dump problems.
1972	Dump closes (7/1/72).





TELEPHONE CALL



From REGECCA FLOOD (ENV. SCI) Tel No 229-2073
Company METRO. WASTE CONTROL COMM City ST. PAUL
Date 8-3-88
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MIL DEENER

PIG'S EYE DUMP QUESTIONS

What was your connection with the landfill?

Describe the set up of the landfill?

How were companies wastes or wastes trucks handled?

What businesses used the landfill?

What haulers used their own trucks and drivers to bring loads to the landfill?

Were there haulers who did solely or primarily commercial and industrial refuse collection?

Were certain areas of the landfill used by certain companies or commercial business in general? Can you show these areas on the map?

Was there waste all over landfill? Describe process.

Did companies dump barrels intact or were materials emptied from the barrels?

Did you remember liquid waste being dumped by companies?

Was commercial waste burned at any point in time? Did this change later in time?

Were commercial wastes buried, burned, or both depending on waste?

Were there fires?

Were there floods?

Who do you know of anyone who could provide us with more information?

Do you remember any files or other documentation that was made?

Do you remember any of the following companies using the landfill? If yes, do you remember type of waste, amount, and where the waste was put.

3M
Whirlpool
Ford
West Publishing
EMC
State of MN
Honeywell
Ecolab

Brown & Bigelow

Land O Lakes
Unisys
Union Carbide
Anchor Hocking
Boise Cascade
Buckbee Mears
Deluxe
Merrill
Coco Cola

HB Fuller
Gillette
Old Dutch Foods
Old Home Foods
Pearson Candies
Breweries: Schmidt
Pioneer/Dispatch

Stone Container Waldorf

From: MNPCA::MRGATE::"A1::FELLOWS N" 12-0CT-1992 11:44:21.11

To: SMITH C

CC:

Subj: 3M pigs eye

From: NAME: Nile Fellows

FUNC: GW Site Response Section

TEL: (612) 296-7782 <FELLOWS N AT A1 AT MNPCA>

To: NAME: Cheryl Smith <SMITH C@mrgate>

Russ Susag? 778-4468 returned my calls concerning Pig's Eye and 3M.

He had no copy of an RFI response, but did have a letter that 3M had sent in response to the RFI. He said he would send me a copy of this letter.

I told Russ that rather than have him answer the old RFI that we would send him out a new questionaire.

He said he was involved in a research project in 1965 for the U of M at Pig's Eye. He also indicated that we should talk to Kent Shoenberger who was with the City at the time.

Russ also indicated that there have been several floods, 1951, 1965 and 1969. He indicated that after the 1969 flood that burning nolonger took place at the site.

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